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SUBJECT: SATELLITE FOUND IN SUDAN (U)

1. (U) LOCAL PRESS 17 AUG 67 REPORTED THAT A SATELLITE, CUBE SHAPED, WEIGHING APPROXIMATELY THREE TONS DISCOVERED 3 AUGUST 50 MILES FROM KUTUM 1425N 2460E. SATELLITE DESCRIBED AS MADE OF SOFT METAL PRESUMABLY LIGHT ALUMINIUM IN OBLONG CUBES MEASURING TWO INCHES BY ONE INCH TIGHTLY FASTENED TOGETHER AND COVERED BY A SILKY MATERIAL. NATIONALITY NOT IDENTIFIED AS NO INSCRIPTIONS EVIDENT ON OUTER SURFACE. LOCAL AUTHORITIES IN EL FASHER HAVE PHOTOGRAPHS AND WITH DIFFICULTY CUT SAMPLES.

2. RECALL DIRECTIVE PUBLISHED ON REPORTING INFO OF THIS NATURE BUT ALL DIRECTIVES WERE DESTROYED. REQUEST SPECIFIC GUIDANCE OR REQUIREMENTS.

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